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RESPECTFULLY inform the Travelling Public that the Ameri-

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ments to his Patrons and the public in general.

AT REDUCED PRICES.

CHEAP BOARDING, BOARDING, BOARDING,

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Saturday Morning, Sept 16, 1871.

The City Corporation and The Colonist

"Thrice is he armed who hath his quarrel just."

Councillor Gerow moved that the Council have the assistance of the best legal advice in the city and if the article be actionable, then that proper steps be adopted to prosecute the author of the article.—*Extract from Minutes of Meeting of the Victoria City Council, Sept. 14th, 1871.*

Having discharged their battery in the form of the above resolution, and literally bespattered THE COLONIST with abuse and invective at their meeting on Tuesday, the members of the Corporation will, perhaps, keep their seats and their temper while we proceed to "speak piece" in reply. As the dimensions of the tree are not always regulated by the size of the seed, so the consequences of things are not always proportionate to the apparent magnitude of those events that have produced them. Therefore, if the prosecution and punishment with which we are threatened in Mr Gerow's resolution do but result in an expose that will arouse taxpayers to a full realization of their duty, and the substitution for "some of the present members of the Council" of men whose characters are above suspicion and whose antecedents are unexceptionable, we shall not regret the time, trouble and expense we may be put to. Should "the best legal advice" that can be obtained, decide that the Corporation has good ground for an action against THE COLONIST, we shall be delighted to meet our accusers face to face in a Court of Law or in any other arena in which they may elect to try the issue. For the remarks of most of the Councillors present we were quite prepared; but we were not prepared for the excessive hardihood displayed by Mr McMillan or the honest simplicity of His Worship the Mayor. Far be it from us to question the honesty of purpose, the ability, or the responsibility of Mr Robertson. In all the qualities that go to make an excellent citizen he abounds; but scrupulously honest as he is, and zealous as he may be to serve the public interest, he has one fault—he is too easily blinded to the faults of those around him, or lacks the moral courage to oppose the will of an unscrupulous majority when led on to victory by a "gay deceiver" like Mr McMillan. Before consenting to acquiesce in the requisition for a special meeting of the City Council for the special purpose of attacking the credibility of this journal, did it not occur to Mr Robertson that he was affording an unscrupulous politician an opportunity of revenging himself upon THE COLONIST for what he conceived to be a grievance? While upon the Mainland was Mr Robertson so remote from the line of travel and mail facilities as to fail to learn that Mr McMillan was candidate for legislative honors, and that THE COLONIST had warned the public against him and his profession of loyalty by exposing his famous attempt to sell the country to the Haywards and Holladays of California in 1867? Did it not occur to His Worship that Mr McMillan was acting Mayor at the time the irregularities are alleged to have taken place, and that if there were any truth in the "rumors," he would have the greatest possible interest in procuring a morally clean bill of health in the most public manner at His Worship's hands? Besides there was the consideration of the shop, which would weigh heavily with a narrow and contracted mind like that of the pro-Mayor's. Attached to a rival newspaper, if Mr McMillan can bring the whole weight of the city revenue to bear in crushing THE COLONIST in an expensive lawsuit, so much the better for the advancement of political rascality. If the City loses the suit, the City must foot the bill, and hence (in his opinion) the ratepayers who might form the jury would have a direct interest in convicting THE COLONIST of libel and saddling it with heavy legal expenses. And, finally, why did Mr Robertson brand an article as indecent and devoid of truth, and based upon mere street rumors, without examining thoroughly into the manner in which the Civic affairs had been managed in his absence? Why, the letter of "Critic" (which appeared in the *Standard* of the 19th August) distinctly brings such "disgusting acts of corruption and rottenness" against the City Council that, it is said, "respectable contractors would no longer tender for work." Could anything be more pointed or direct than these charges? And yet the pro-Mayor—Mr McMillan—in the absence of the Mayor, failed to pay the slightest heed to them. In fact, we are informed that, in his capacity as compositor in the *Standard* office, he assisted in putting the objectionable letter into type! When the Mayor returned, did Mr McMillan, in giving an account of his stewardship, direct His Worship's attention to "Critic's" charges and demand an opportunity to abuse the *Standard* proprietor like a pickpocket? Not he! So carefully did he conceal the fact of the appearance of the letter that we believe we are correct in saying that His Worship did not learn of its existence until after the meeting of Thursday. So much for the Mayor and the Pro-Mayor. As for Mr Gerow, he really appears so bold on the Council board, and has so notoriously neglected his duties as Councillor, that it is not to be wondered at that he fell as readily as the Mayor into the trap set for him. A third Councillor, having advanced a sum of money to a city contractor on account of money due by the Corporation, charged interest thereon at the rate of 480 per cent, per annum, and having afterwards voted for the payment of the very account upon which he had advanced the money, was quite right in rising to clear his skirts of the charge of corruption: Mr Heathorn—who is honest, but gullible—was correct in trying to make the best of the company in which he found himself; and Mr Carey—was absent at Nanaimo, and said nothing. We trust we have now made it clear to the most obtuse as well as the most brilliant mind that we intend to fight the cause of the People of Victoria as against the Corporation of Victoria; and should the Corporation squander the Civic revenue in attempting to convict us of libel, they must not find fault if we use every honorable means at our command to beat them at their own game.

EMINENT CUTLERS.—Among the names of the most prominent manufacturers of cutlery are found those of Wostenholm, Mappin, Crooks, Harrison and Jagger & Sons. The latter has for a series of years held the prestige for excellence, and has been awarded the prizes at the Industrial Exhibitions; and at present the sole importers in this Province are T. N. Hines & Co.

A. GRIMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel and opposite the Colonial Office, on Government Street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits.

DA BOURNE of San Francisco is to be found at the Colonial Hotel until Friday morning, 16th inst., and may be consulted in relation to health and disease by those who are tired of medicine and would acquire knowledge of a better way.

MC A NELTENIER has returned from San Francisco with a splendid assortment of boots and shoes of the latest styles, which he will sell at low prices. Boots made to order and warranted to fit. Repairing neatly done.—Government street, next to the St Nicholas Hotel.

New Advertisements

DAMAGED TIN EX PRINCESS ROYAL.

FOR SALE BY

Public Auction.

—ON—

Tuesday, Sept 19, 1871.

On the H. B. Co.'s Wharf.

For account of whom it may concern,

Mark "S," 18 boxes of Damaged Tin, 1 C Coke.
8 boxes 1 X Coke and 12 boxes 1 C Coke.

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To the Electors of Victoria District.

GENTLEMEN:—Having been requested by a large number of my constituents to nominate me to be put in nomination as a representative for the Local Legislature. After due deliberation I have much pleasure in assenting to your request, and in doing so would say that, should you do me the honor to elect me, I shall at all times support such measures as in my judgment will promote your interests and those of the country at large.

I am in favor of a modified tariff.

I am strongly in favor of a liberal non-sectarian school system, and of a tax on unappropriated lands.

I am desirous to have as large a sum as possible be spared from other objects spent in the improvement and opening up of wagon roads through different parts of the Island.

Should legislation be required to fix the terminus of the C.P.R. at Esquimalt, Victoria, such a measure will receive my warm support.

The Franchise Law, as it stands, I am opposed to, as it makes the Island subject to vote because it is unable to read.

Good Government is necessarily economical and I shall at all times strenuously oppose any unnecessary expenditure, whether in the form of Civil List appropriations or in any other form.

I do not oppose any good measure come from whom it may.

Should you see fit to extend to me the confidence and support which I solicit, nothing will be left undone in the faithful discharge of my duty, so far as my abilities, and I shall endeavor to prove to you that in reposing your confidence in me it has not been misplaced.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your faithful servant,
WM DALBY.

THEATRE ROYAL.

MANAGER.....MR. B. M. NATHAN.
MUSICAL DIRECTOR.....MR. DIGBY PALMER.

Grand Family Matinee.

At 2 o'clock THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON

Half Price to all parts of the Theatre.

Continued unparalleled success of that Talented, Wonderfull Petite Artist.

LA PETITE MARION,

And those established favorites, the

NATHAN JUVENILE TROUPE,

ENTIRE CHANGE OF PROGRAMME!!

LA PETITE MARION in two of her most wonderful impersonations

FELIX O'CALLAGHAN AND SAN CAL PAT.

Gigantic New Programme this (Saturday) Evening.

The beautiful 2 act Play entitled

HIS LAST LEGS.

La Petite Marion as Felix O'Callaghan.

NEW MUSICAL INTERLUDE.

Concluding with the laughable Irish farce

RASCAL PAT.

La Petite Marion as Pat O'Shanghans.

ADMISSION—Pence Circle and Parquette, 41; Pit, 20 cents. Children under 12 years of age half price.

Seats to be secured at the Theatre daily from 11 to 4.

Doors open at 7:30, performance commencing at 8.

No extra charge for Reserve Seats—69.

Carrington may be ordered at 10:30 o'clock.

The Langevin Dinner and Mr Astrico.

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 13, 1871.

DEAR SIR.—THE COMMITTEE WISH

to express their hearty thanks for your kind arrangement in providing the dinner to the Hon.

H. L. Langevin. The excellent and ample Bill of Fare and the superb quality of the wines provided assisted materially in rendering the whole affair a complete success.

I have, &c., H. NATHAN, JR.

Mr. A. Astrico, Store street.

REURNED.

M. G. E. HUNTING HERERY NOT

has his customers and friends that having com-

pleted the Billiard Tables of the Colonial Hotel,

New Westminster, he has returned and is now

prepared to execute their orders at the shortest notice

and in the best style.

Yates street, Victoria, Sept 14.

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to the Lands & Works Office.

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Victoria, B.C., Sept 18th, 1871.

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BERY, K. G.

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THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, H. P.

THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.

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3 & 5 George Street, Edinburgh;
82 King William Street; 3 Pall Mall, East;

66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.

MANAGER AND ACTUARY:
W. THOS. THOMSON, F. R. S. E.

COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY
D. CLUNIE GREGOR.

Total amount of Invested Funds,
£4,095,589 16 2.

Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9

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Government Street, sc16

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AT SAN SHU LEE'S house.

Every description of Chinese Medicine for sale. Fresh

Medicines just received from China.

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DR CHONG,

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Have Received direct from VIENNA, AUSTRIA, a large lot of

GENUINE MEERSCHAUM PIPES AND

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The last of most Artistic Designs and Cuttings, mounted with Amber and considered VERY CHEAP.

Large Lot of PIPE STEMS all lengths to Twenty

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REAL TURKISH TOBACCO!

Of Charming Flavour.

Real Turkish Pipes

And everything to suit the most refined and fastidious Smoker's taste.

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CUTLERY of the Finest Description.

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FOR TAILORS—The best Tailor Goods and the most splendid Patterns in Gentlemen's Trousers, also Sewing Silk, and all kinds of Buttons, Buckles, etc.

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BILLIARD TABLE.

FOR SALE CHIRAP—A PHILIPS' COMBINATION CUSHION BILLIARD TABLE complete and in perfect order. Apply at the British Columbia Hotel, Fort Street.

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NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR

any debts contracted by my son, L. W. H. HING, with-out my written order.

Known as Sing Lee, sc19 1w

Esquimalt, Sept 7, 1871.

The Omnibus "Young America"

WILL LEAVE VICTORIA

for Esquimalt, every Sunday afternoon, leaving Campbell's Corner at 12 o'clock.

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Ex Princess Royal.

FLOOR OILCLOTHS

OF

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Saturday Morning, Sept 16, 1871.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Sept 15.—Sir Enterprise, Swanson, New Westminster.

Mr North Pacific, Taylor, Port Townsend.

Skipper, Prince Royal, San Juan.

CLEARED.

Sept 15.—Sir Enterprise, Swanson, New Westminster.

Mr North Pacific, Taylor, Port Townsend.

Skipper, Prince Royal, Henderson, Burrard Inlet.

NEWS! NEWS!

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FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The Enterprise sailed for New Westminster yesterday at 1 o'clock p.m., with the ship Princess Royal in tow for Burrard Inlet. She had on board the following passengers, Mr and Mrs Claude, Mrs Jones, Misses Finlayson, Miss Work, Mr and Mrs Greenway, H. Courtney, Hugh Nelson, Jesse Cowper, C. A. Notman, W.C. Ward, Uriah Nelson, J. H. Brodie, Jas Buller, J. L. Franklin and six or eight others. The six large mules which were brought from Albany, Oregon, by Mr Stimson went up also on the Enterprise for Cariboo.

MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT.—We are sorry to learn by private telegram from Moody's Mills that the little son of Mr Henry C. Courtney was drowned in Burrard Inlet on Thursday afternoon. He was playing on a balcony at the rear of Mr Coote Chambers' house and fell headlong into the shallow water beneath. Although picked up almost immediately afterwards he was extinct. The poor little fellow was between two and three years of age. Mr Courtney sailed in Grappler yesterday to bring down the remains for interment.

DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE.—Admiral Farquhar and the officers of H.M. Fleet, with that appreciation of talent characteristic of British officers, will extend their patronage to the Nathan Troop on Tuesday evening next. Then the Nathan troops we have never met with a more talented or versatile company, and patronage was never more worthily bestowed. Seats for Tuesday evening's entertainment may be secured today at the box office from 10 to 4.

WARM WORK AHEAD.—Itly having declined to join the Prusso-Austrian alliance against France and Russia, is threatened with absorption by Germany. Germany fears the increasing power of Russia and will make an effort to prevent her further growth, perhaps proceeding so far as to re-establish the Kingdom of Poland as a check upon Russia's advance towards the Black Sea.

A SHORT YEAR.—What have modern Jews done that their lives should be cut short and their years whittled down to the short space of forty-eight hours. A local contemporary announced that—"The Jewish New Year commences this evening at 4 o'clock and terminates on Sunday at sunset."

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The Otter sailed at daylight yesterday for Skeena River with 25 passengers and a full freight.

The Hastings Mills Company have chartered the ship North Star for Australia.

The Deluge company were out working last evening with a hand-engine.

COPPER.—Two parties of men were sent off yesterday to the Musgrave copper mine.

'Keep Your air Door Clean!'—

EDINBURGH COLONIST.—I see that Mr. Councilor Gerow of Johnson street Ward, who is seldom seen in his seat and seldom heard, is mighty keen to get square on you for exposing the "rotteness" of some of his friends, but it strikes me Mr. Gerow would be better employed in looking after the interests of his Ward than in bolstering up the dignity of his fellow-Councillors. Why, sir, the very sidewalk in front of this very Councilor's property is in an unsafe state and has been for two years; and while people all around him have been made to repair their sidewalks he has never been troubled with a notice from 'Joe' or His Worship. Why is this? Is a Councillor above the law?

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A Broth o' a Boy on the Situation.

MR. EATON.—So the City Councillors are about to sue you for defaming of their characters. Hallelujah! Take an' oug! But how the little man of Yates street Ward went for you! Perhaps he had forgot that condemning you he sealed his own doom, for sure wasn't Mr Mayor out of town when the Standard printed 'Critic's' splendid letter, and wasn't Mr McMillan the kind of creature they call the Pro-Mayor at the time and wasn't it his duty to seize hold of his Boss by the scruff of the neck and shake the wicket life out of him for libelling the Corporation? And why didn't he do it? What now, and let me tell you in a pig's whisper: (Mind you don't tell any one else, for fear of hurting the feelings of the Councillors!) He'd have lost his situation! And, sure, isn't that corruption? Directly or indirectly the City Councillor mustn't allow himself to be influenced or corrupted, and if His Little Worship the Pro-Mayor (how grandly that title sounds before a man's name) was afraid to do his duty, why, then, it strikes me very forcibly in the knowledge-box that he's as bad as the fellows that the Standard says have stopped all honest men from tendering for city contracts.

A Broth o' a Boy.

Letter from the New Mines.

OMNIKA, B.C., Aug 15, 1871.

DEAR SIR—I arrived here a week ago and found the town made a much better appearance than I had expected. There are 22 houses on the principal street and a few on the back street and scattered around. Smith & Sterling have their house nearly finished. Yesterday most of the glass was put in and by the end of the week it will be papered and painted. They have a splendid assortment of almost everything a mine may, can, should or might be expected to require, and all of the best quality: consequently are doing a good business.

The new trail from Stuart's Lake, direct, will be a severe blow to the Skeena route. Pack animals, after a hard summer's work cannot be wintered except on good feed, and to be ready for the next season's work they have to be driven and ferried down to Atkali Lake or Bonaparte, and will of course load for their first trip from Yale—so goods by that route would arrive here a month earlier in the Spring. People will say that the H.B.C. winter their horses at so and so. True, but the H.B.C. horses are fat and in good condition when turned out and have time to recruit before they commence work in the Spring.

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passed the Council and has been approved by the Mayor. The work will be commenced within six months, and is to be completed within a year. The grant was given to Levi Estates.

Second Dispatch.

Europe.

LONDON, Sept 14.—Herr Krupp, the great Prussian gun inventor, is residing at Torquay. This is regarded by the newspapers as significant.

Details of a project for the issue of a new loan for the city of Paris amounting to 350,000,000 francs, is published to-day.

LISBON, Sept 14.—The Empress Eugenie arrived here to day from London. She was visited by the King and Queen of Portugal, and soon afterwards left by the railway for Madrid.

It is stated that an American brig has founded off Land's End and that all on board had perished. The name of the vessel is unknown.

Third Dispatch.

Europe.

LONDON, Sept 15.—Geo Potter in a letter to the London Times suggests a discontinuance of the Newcastle strike definitely. That the employers adopt the 9 hours as a day's work and that the workman sacrifice half an hour's wages per day.

The Trafalgar Square meeting has been postponed.

The Newcastle representative of the committee has called a meeting, having in view objections to the coalition of the political parties.

A mill at Rochester was burned last night and eight hundred men are deprived of work.

The sporting journals denounce the St John boat crew as cowards and praise the American crews.

Experts have been appointed to investigate the naval mishaps.

Hon Mr Seward is in London.

At Königsberg, on the 12th there were 93 new cases of cholera, and 63 deaths in 1,368 cases. The disease has disappeared from Danzig.

The Madrid Gazette publishes the instructions relative to the amnesty.

The large town of Lohika, in Algeria, was destroyed and the rebel leaders in that section have been captured and shot.

Turkey participates in the Telegraphic Conference to be held at Berno, September 25th. Another conference on telegraphic matters will be held in Rome in December.

Mexico.

MEXICO, Sept 2.—A preliminary meeting of Congress took place yesterday. The number of members present was 147. The entire number of members is 227. The meeting resulted favorably for Juarez.

Eastern States.

WHITE PLAINS, N.Y., Sept 15.—Judge Pratt has granted a stay of proceedings in the case of the condemned murderer, Buckshot, who was to have been executed to-day.

Oregon.

SALEM, Sept 15.—This morning a little boy of nine years, son of James Farbuck, while playing in the Capitol sawmill was caught in the machinery and had his left arm torn off near the shoulder. He is not expected to live.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

Eastern States.

WASHINGTON, Sept 14.—Paymaster-General Brice says it will appear upon investigation that the Treasury Department is responsible for the failure of the government to discover the defalcation. Major Hodge's disbursements during the last six years since the war began amounted, as the records show, to \$29,301,400, while for the payment of Treasury Certificates for the bounty alone ranged from \$400,000 to \$500,000 per month for considerable times.

NEW YORK, Sept 14.—The Committee for the reception of the Grand Duke Alexis have received official notice of his departure from Cronstadt for America.

Two persons, Henry Brown and Burke, drivers of the truck, were instantly killed by the Beckman street explosion this evening. Michael Goldschmidt, proprietor of the establishment, Henry Regart, employee and Mary Jane Burr, residing opposite the scene of the explosion, will probably die. The horses of the Beckman street car which was passing at the time were almost blown to pieces. It is not known whether any passengers are injured. The adjacent and opposite buildings were seriously damaged by the explosion, and the loss of property will be considerable.

Wm Cassidy, editor of the Albany Argus, Sam J. Tilden and other prominent Democrats had a consultation with Tweed, Connolly and others on the city affairs to-day, and it is rumored to-night that Connolly has consented to resign on condition that he may be allowed to name his successor.

The report of the tender of the Controllership to General McLennan is pronounced to be false.

The bondsmen and Assistant Postmaster Jones held a private meeting this evening and appointed Abraham Wakeman to take charge of the disposal of the property of the defaulting Assistant Postmaster, a portion of which has already been taken possession of.

NY, Sept 15.—Information was received by Judge Bedford of the Court of General Sessions this morning, that a gigantic and wicked conspiracy had been set on foot in Wall street for the purpose of locking up millions of dollars and by this means injuring the commerce of the city and the finance of the whole country. The judge immediately convened the grand jury and charged them to be prompt and fearless in action. In a few days the most respectable brokers and business men of the city will be summoned before the grand jury, when it is expected that most startling disclosures will be made.

Canada.

MONTREAL, Sept 13.—The four-oared race was won to day by the Halifax Barton Crew 33 minutes and 10 seconds. Both English crews led but went thirty yards beyond the turning buoys before they discovered their mistake. They claim that the buoys were changed during the night. The Renforth crew came in second, 150 yards behind the Barton, and fifty yards ahead of the Winship crew.

Europe.

LONDON, Sept 14.—The bullion in the Bank of England has decreased £655,000.

VERSAILLES Sept 14.—In the Assembly to-day Gen D'Aisy stated that two additional courts martial for the trial of communists will shortly be appointed. He said there was now 102 judges to examine 30,000 prisoners, including 750 convicts. Even with additional courts the government will probably release 12,500 prisoners without trial as it is impossible to sentence over 1000 per month.

PARIS, Sept 14.—A proposal was introduced to the Assembly yesterday suggesting

amnesty to all communists and was defeated by a large majority.

BERLIN, Sept 14.—It is asserted in diplomatic circles that a secret alliance has been entered into by Bismarck and Von Bismarck on the part of Germany and Austria in opposition to the alleged coalition between France and Russia. It is also said that Italy was invited to become a party to the Austro-Prussian alliance but the invitation was declined by King Victor Emanuel who preferred to observe strict neutrality rather than join an alliance with Germany. It is further stated that is consequence of this refusal of the part of Italy the German Premier now threatens the absorption of the Italian Provinces of Venetia and Lombardy into Austro-German territory. The statements cause great uneasiness, and further developments regarding the alliance and looming difficulty with Italy are awaited with great anxiety.

PARIS, Sept 15.—The bullion in the Bank of France has decreased 17,000,000 francs during the week.

The negotiations at Versailles it is said will involve a territorial rearrangement to modify the frontier of France and Germany. Land has been discovered in the island of Jersey.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept 15.—The suicide of Mrs Alpheus Bull, by hanging, to-day, excites much remark. She was known by everybody as a lady of superior intelligence in disposition, a Christian, from deep conviction, and peculiarly happy in her domestic relations. She had not been very seriously ill, but confined to her house for a few weeks. Her sudden attack of insanity was, beyond question, attributable to physical causes.

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